



GREATER ILLINOIS Chapter

Weekly Communication

October 3, 2016

Interested in Mentoring?

GICHIMSS is always looking for members who are interested in participating in our mentorship program as either a Mentor or Protégé.

If you want to learn more, please [Click Here](#) to visit our mentorship site and consider signing up today!

Contribute to our Next Newsletter

Are you interested in contributing to our upcoming newsletter? Please contact the GIC-HIMSS Communication Committee.

We are looking forward to hearing about your personal experiences working in the industry, any thoughts, insights, trends you are seeing, or advice or expertise you may like to share.

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Upcoming Events / Webinars

Free Webinars w/ CPHIMS Credit

Important Upcoming Events and Dates

GCC HIMSS Webinar Series

October 4th "Process, People and Technology: Using Informatics and Decision Support to Improve Health System Performance"

Join Dr. Eric France, Healthcare Provider with Colorado Permanente Medical Group and PMG Healthcare Solutions, and Emily Borlik, Managing Director of Healthcare for Slalom Consulting as they explore how to achieve effective informatics and decision support through implementation of the appropriate processes and involving the right people, combined with the right technology solutions.

Webinar Learning Objectives:

1. Partnering qualitative approaches with quantitative measurements
2. Improving patient care through process design and informatics
3. Learning how technology can be leveraged to move goals forward without being the instigation tool

October 4th, 2016
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM CST

[Click Here to Register](#)

GIC HIMSS Fall Innovation Event

Health IT Innovation to Improve Patient Outcomes October 27th, 2016

Join us for a panel review of four emerging topics in our industry. Our panel brings expertise from across the industry to provide new insights on Infusion Pump Integrations with EMRs; Smart Rooms; How Service Design and Innovation Improve Care Coordination; and Behavioral Health and the Integration of Tele Health. Learn how progress in these areas will move our healthcare services forward. Reserve space on your calendar now!

Location:

Accenture 161 N. Clark Street, Conference Room 40th floor, Chicago, IL 60601
5:30 PM to 9:00 PM

[Click Here to Register](#)

Calling for GIC HIMSS Scholarship Applications

GIC HIMSS annually awards scholarships to students who have achieved academic excellence and have the potential to be future leaders in the healthcare information and management systems field.

Criteria for the scholarship awards include scholastic achievement, demonstration of leadership potential, strong communication skills and participation in HIMSS/GIC-HIMSS activities.

Completed applications must be received by November 4, 2016.

GIC HIMSS Scholarship Application 2016-2017

Scholarships will be awarded to two students as determined by the GIC HIMSS Scholarship Committee. In addition to the cash award, recipients will receive GIC HIMSS chapter only membership and will be recognized at a GIC HIMSS event. Current GIC HIMSS / HIMSS membership is not required to apply.

If you are a student, or know someone who could qualify, please visit <http://greaterillinois.himsschapter.org/>

For more information, please send inquiries to Lauren Wiseman at lwiseman@outlook.com

GIC HIMSS 2016-2017 Calendar of Events

Event	Date
Educational Event (TBA)	October 27, 2016
Professional Development Event (TBA)	November 11, 2016
Midwest Fall Technology Conference - Minnesota	November 13-15, 2016
Educational Event (TBA)	January 12, 2017
HIMSS National Conference - Orlando	February 19-23, 2017
Social Reception at HIMSS National - Orlando	February 20, 2017
Professional Development Event (TBA)	March 23, 2017
Advocacy Day	April 27, 2017
CPHIMSS Review Course	May 5, 2017
Educational Event (TBA)	May 18, 2017
GIC HIMSS 4th Annual Charitable Golf Outing	June 12, 2017

Engage with the GICHIMSS on Social Media!

"Like" the NEW GICHIMSS Facebook page at www.facebook.com/GICHIMSS. Be sure to include event pics and updates for GICHIMSS members!

To get the latest information on events, news and webinars, please join the "[HIMSS Greater Illinois Chapter \(GIC HIMSS\)](#)" LinkedIn Group and follow [@GicHIMSS on Twitter](#)! Don't miss out on the latest chapter news - **join today!**

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